GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:829
ANSWERED ON:08.12.2003
MISUTILIZATION OF FUNDS MEANT FOR POLLUTION CONTROL
RUPCHAND MURMU

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the funds made available and actually utilised for control of pollution during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government are aware that the said funds are being grossly misused by various States particularly Delhi;

(c) if so, whether the Government has received any complaints in this regard; and

(d) if so, the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T. R. BAALU)

(a)& (b) The State-wise details of the funds provided for control of pollution during the last 3 years and the current year are given in the Annexure. The Utilization Certificates are obtained from the concerned States before release of further instalments to ensure that the funds are utilized for the purpose for which they are sanctioned.

(c) No Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (b) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 829 DU
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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROVIDED TO STATES/UNION TERITORIES
(in Rupees)

STATES/UNION TERITORIES	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
Andhra Pradesh	516680	11804525	4401124	96803
Arunachal Pradesh	0	100000	0	0
Assam	101757	386613	545567	99277
Bihar	39912073	2711625	2956032	938168
Chandigarh	27778	5556	151111	0
Chhatisgarh	0	0	330290	495833
Delhi	8150000	725892000	922036000	3562400
Goa	5500000	181120	25561544	32368
Gujarat	51457830	110406460	90028094	124731622
Haryana	69798285	230016667	24049366	946112
Himachal Pradesh	1217818	208127	1659598	324689
Jammu & Kashmir	0	500000	3186000	0
Jharkhand	0	0	575000	1641180
Karnataka	32411785	3159265	99714340	25568627
Kerala	1217110	1590287	10861745	5179337
Lakshadweep	8940	9290	0	229600
Madhya Pradesh	71902587	815995	73010343	62624962
Maharashtra	122024031	300420000	26416031078	117748159
Manipur	520440	31850	117600	850000
Meghalaya	2502500	3499583	4133110	0
Mizoram	0	0	0	0
Nagaland	897400	0	0	15103
Orissa	9117337	30698194	18698931	17258116
Punjab	66703610	157136435	263400412	137290417
Pondicherry	791675	38568	26926	260237
Rajasthan	1075893	979677	61740829	60882950
Sikkim	860400	0	84780	897651
Tamil Nadu	291055438	745469745	417831752	330650974
Tripura	59020	13880	144972	1295674
Uttar Pradesh	591791624	825253675	383133382	210216235

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